Calendar...

Changes of Command
July 8　NAVPETOFF
July 25　FISC San Diego

NAVSUP Boards
July 9-10 Board of Directors
　Meeting, Norfolk, Va.
Aug. 11-13 NAVSUP Corporate
　Board, Mechanicsburg, Pa.

Flag/06 Conferences
Sept. 8-10　06-Select Conference,
　Mechanicsburg, Pa.

Other Events
Aug. 25-28　ISFEA Conference
　for NEY Awards, Dallas, Tx.
Sept. 22-23　New CO Conference
　Mechanicsburg, Pa.
Sept. 30/Oct. 1　Standup of
　NOLSC

Supply Corps Events
Nov. 21　All Calls, Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Supply Corps Boards
June 23　04 Active
July 8　E-7 Active
Aug. 25-28　Senior Leadership
　Conference, San Diego, Calif.
Sept. 23　Acquisition Professional
　Community #2

Supply Corps Newsletter Deadlines
Aug. 15 Deadline for November/
　December 2003 issue
Oct. 15　Deadline for January/
　February 2004 issue

Video Update...

　The next Transformation Update video will be available shortly. The script for the video will be posted on the Transformation Bulletin Board at that time. Close caption versions will also be distributed.

In the news...

MyNAVSUP Intranet Packs Info, Get a PKI Cert for Access

　MyNAVSUP, a private and secure intranet site for NAVSUP employees is up and running, providing a one-stop source of information from around the enterprise. Set up like your own filing system, the site offers tabs that link you with the information you need on a daily basis.

　Bring up the home page and you will see a calendar and news from around the enterprise. Type a name into the *People Search* function and bring up contact information for employees in the NAVSUP community. The *Admin* tab offers group e-mail lists, business card templates, and NAVSUP logos. The *Business* tab takes you to the Power Point briefs you need. An *HR* tab tells you about available developmental opportunities. The *Library* tab has acronym finders to help you stay on top of things. There is even a special tab dedicated to *Military*. Beyond the enterprise pages, each command boasts its own section of the intranet site, with news and information specific to your location.

　You will need a DOD PKI certificate to access *MyNAVSUP*. See Page 2 for a list of PKI administrators.

RADM Linda J. Bird to Relieve RDML Alan S. Thompson

　Commander, Naval Supply Systems Command (NAVSUP) has announced that RADM Linda J. Bird, SC, USN, will relieve RDML Alan S. Thompson, SC, USN, as Commander, Defense Supply Center, Columbus, Ohio. RADM Bird is currently serving as Director, Supply, Ordnance and Logistics Operations Division, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations (N41), Arlington, Va. RDML Thompson will relieve RADM Bird as Director, Supply, Ordnance and Logistics Operations Division, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations (N41), Arlington, Va.

　RADM Bird graduated from Western Washington University and received her commission through the Naval Officer Candidate School. She holds a master's degree in inventory management from the Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, Calif. RADM Bird's sea tours include stores officer and stock control officer, USS Frank Cable (AS 40) and supply officer, USS Puget Sound (AD 38).

　RDML Thompson graduated with a bachelor's degree in economics from the University of California at Los Angeles, where he received his commission through the Naval ROTC program. He holds a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Florida and has completed the Columbia University Graduate School of Business Senior Executive Program. RDML Thompson's sea assignments include USS *David R. Ray* (DD 971), USS *Chandler* (DDG 996), and USS *Dwight D. Eisenhower* (CVN 69).

Around NAVSUP...

**Three Supply Corps Captains
Selected for Promotion to Rear Admiral**

The Navy recently announced that Captain Michael J. Lyden, Supply Corps, U. S. Navy, Captain Martin J. Brown, Supply Corps, U. S. Navy, and Captain William A. Kowba, Supply Corps, U.S. Navy, have been selected for promotion to the one-star rank of Rear Admiral (Lower Half).

RDML (Sel) Lyden currently serves as Executive Officer for the Director, Defense Logistics Agency, Ft. Belvoir, Va. A native of Tonawanda, N.Y., he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Management Engineering from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, where he was commissioned through the Navy ROTC program in 1978. He also holds a Master in Business Administration (MBA) degree from Harvard University. Most recently, he served as Deputy Commander for Financial Management/Comptroller, Naval Supply Systems Command.

RDML (Sel) Brown currently serves as the Special Assistant for Joint and Operational Logistics, Naval Supply Systems Command, Washington Liaison Office, Arlington, Va. A native of Skaneatgeles, N.Y., he is a 1977 graduate of the University of Notre Dame, where he received his commission through the Navy ROTC program. He earned an MBA in Finance and Public Management in 1986 from UCLA. Prior to his current assignment he served as Force Supply Officer at Commander, Naval Surface Force, U. S. Pacific Fleet.

RDML (Sel) Kowba is currently a Senior Fellow assigned to the Chief of Naval Operations Strategic Studies Group, Newport, R.I. A native of Rochester, N.Y., he holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree from St. Bonaventure University and was commissioned through the Officer Candidate School Program in June 1976. He holds three graduate degrees, including masters degrees from the University of Richmond and Webster University, and an MBA from the Anderson School at UCLA. His most recent assignment was as Commanding Officer, Fleet and Industrial Supply Center, Norfolk, Va.

The more than 2,600 officers of the Navy Supply Corps are responsible for supply and logistics support for the ships of the active fleet and hundreds of Naval shore installations worldwide, providing combat capability through logistics.

PKI Administrators

To access *MyNAVSUP*, you'll need a DoD PKI certificate from your PKI administrator: The following is a list of claimancy administrators:

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NAVICP Mech	Tina Plantz	717-605-4020
NAVICP Phila	Beverly Moore	215-697-5595
FOSSAC/NAVTRANS	Mary Upson-Kelley	757-443-2017
FISC Jacksonville	Evelyn Bellairs	904-542-1012
FISC Norfolk	Sylvia Cuffee	757-443-1503
FISC Pearl Harbor	Susan Miyahara	808-473-7602
FISC Puget Sound	Stanley Jorgensen	360-476-5218
FISC San Diego	Charles Lionberger	619-532-1787
FISC Yokosuka	William Emig	011-81-6160-43-83010
NALC	Walt Jensen	717-605-3263
NAVPETOFF	Tom Turets	703-767-7346
NEXCOM	Amy Prendingue	757-631-4187

Short Takes...

NAVTRANS
Navy and Foreign Military Sales (FMS) personnel provided eight hours of FMS supply and transportation training to NAVICP Naval Reserve Team 1, which is currently enroute to Tunisia and will provide Security Assistance/FMS assistance to the Tunisian Navy.

NEXCOM
The Secretary of Defense approved free mail privileges for service members and designated civilians serving in support of *Operation Iraqi Freedom* in Bulgaria, Cyprus, Romania, Crete, Eastern Turkey, and Eastern Mediterranean Sea.

Climate Survey
Electronic deployment of Corporate Climate Survey Round 4 is tentatively scheduled for August 2003. All employees are encouraged to take the survey electronically from home, work, or any other location with computer access. Hard copies of the survey will be available for those without computer access. Paper-based copies will be mailed directly to the NMCI contractor, Resource Consultants Inc. (RCI). Watch for it.

NAVSUP Jobs…
Where Can I Find Them?

NAVSUP job announcements are posted to the NAVSUP Web site under the "Jobs" tab.

Field activities are submitting reassignment opportunities and job announcements to the NAVSUP Public Affairs Office for inclusion on the NAVSUP Web site.

A list of more than 45 claimancy vacancies was recently posted to the Web site.

Check out NAVSUP jobs at … http://www.navsup.navy.mil/jobs/otherlinks.jsp.

There is a NAVSUP Bulletin Board System on the Web

Employee Transformation Information is being posted on the NAVSUP Bulletin Board System until it can be permanently located on *MyNAVSUP,* NAVSUP's new secure intranet site for employees.

You must have an Internet Password in Lotus Notes to gain access to the NAVSUP Bulletin Boards on the web. If you use Microsoft Outlook for your e-mail and had not previously set an Internet password in Lotus Notes-- or you forgot your password, contact the NAVSISA Help Desk at (717) 605-7602 or DSN 430-7602 to establish your Internet password.

If you set up an Internet password prior to conversion to Microsoft Outlook, that password can be used to access the bulletin boards.

For additional instructions, go to https://bbs.navsup.navy.mil/bbshomepage.nsf/Homepage?OpenForm

In recognition of *Operation Iraqi Freedom*, the Girl Scouts of America (SanDiego, Imperial Council) donated 6,500 boxes of Girl Scout cookies to the sailors from the USS *Abraham Lincoln* Battle Group.

CDR Burk Wins 2002
Admiral Stan Arthur Military Logistician of the Year

CDR Michele Burk, a team leader with the Naval Inventory Control Point, Mechanicsburg, Pa., has been selected as the Military Logistician of the Year in the 2002 Admiral Stan Arthur awards for logistics excellence program.

The Admiral Stan Arthur awards recognize military and civilian logisticians who epitomize excellence in logistics planning and execution. A flag/Senior Executive Service panel reviewed candidates and selected winners based on innovations which merit special recognition.

The award recognizes CDR Burk's efforts in leading the design, development and implementation of the Advanced Planning System (APS) component of the Naval Supply Systems Command's Supply Maintenance Aviation Reengineering Team.

Under CDR Burk's leadership, the APS team created an agile and robust supply chain management system that manages the necessary tasks to support the war fighter, both afloat and ashore. Furthermore, this system represents the building blocks for an enterprise-wide inventory management system capable of accounting for the entire inventory, wholesale and retail, and determining the best method to satisfy the requirements of the warfighter. APS will also forecast repair and procurement schedules with accuracy not previously available.

MFCS Team Wins
Assistant SECNAV Financial Management Award

The Navy's Material Financial Control System (MFCS) Retail Ashore Implementation Team has received the Assistant Secretary of the Navy's Financial Management and Comptroller (ASN FM&C) Team Award. The award was presented at the American Society of Military Comptrollers Professional Development Institute in New Orleans on May 28, 2003.

MFCS is an automated inventory accounting system that was developed jointly by the Naval Supply Systems Command's (NAVSUP) Naval Inventory Control Point; Naval Supply Information Systems Activity; Fleet and Industrial Supply Centers; the Defense Finance Accounting Service, Cleveland, Ohio; the Defense Enterprise Computing Center, Mechanicsburg, Pa.; and ASN FM&C.

MFCS, which is currently being implemented at various sites across the United States, provides cradle-to-grave accountability for the Navy's inventory management systems.

Fran Dwyer Selected to be NOLSC Executive Director

Commander, Naval Supply Systems Command (NAVSUP) has announced that Ms. Frances A. Dwyer has been selected to be the Executive Director of the newly formed Naval Operational Logistics Support Center (NOLSC). Ms. Dwyer will report to NOLSC's prospective Commanding Officer, Captain Jerrold L. Twigg, SC, USN. The headquarters of this new command will be located in Norfolk, Va.

A native of Philadelphia, Ms. Dwyer graduated from Immaculata College with a Bachelor of Arts degree in history, and began her logistics career at the Naval Aviation Supply Office as an Inventory Management Specialist. After holding numerous positions of increasing responsibility within NAVSUP, Ms. Dwyer became the Executive Director of the Naval Ammunition Logistics Center in 1998.

Ms. Dwyer has received many performance awards and commendations throughout her career including the Meritorious Civilian Service Award, the Secretary of Defense Superior Management Award, and selection in the inaugural class of the Department of Defense's Leadership and Management Program. Currently she is completing a Master of Science degree in National Resource Strategy from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, and will assume her new duties later this month after graduation.

DON eBusiness Operations Office Named Executive Agent for New DoD Pilot

The DON eBusiness Operations Office has been established as the Executive Agent (EA) to assist the DoD's Chief Information Officer to carry out the Rapid Acquisition Incentives - Net Centricity (RAI-NC) program. RAI-NC is a new DoD program that establishes a central investment fund to finance information technology initiatives that support DoD business transformation efforts and improve government efficiency.

DoD will leverage the capabilities already inherent in DON's Pilot Funding and Project Management function. As the EA, the DON eBusiness Operations Office is responsible for management of the investment fund and overall project management of the Net Centric pilots.

"The RAI-NC program fits with the mission and capabilities of the eBusiness Office," says Ms. Karen Gadbois, Director of the Pilot Funding and Project Management Group. "Being chosen as the EA for the DoD's pilot initiative program provides us with new opportunities to validate our processes and continue to contribute to improving government performance."

Criteria similar to the existing eBusiness Office criteria will be used to evaluate the pilot submissions for the RAI-NC program, including the following: a cost of $1 million or less, actively supported by senior leadership within the organization submitting the project, and the potential to scale the solution beyond the pilot to the DoD Enterprise.

Submissions are being accepted between now through July 30, 2003. Assessment and selection for funding will be made in September 2003. The length of the projects may extend from six months up to one year.

For more information on RAI-NC, visit the website link on the Command, Control, Communications, and Intelligence (C3I) home page, http://www.dod.mil/c3i/.

The DON eBusiness Operations Office helps Navy and Marine Corps eBusiness concepts to become realities. DON pilot submissions are evaluated continuously from Navy and Marine Corps commands, with the opportunity to have a submission selected for funding on an ongoing basis. Ideas for pilot projects may be submitted to http://www.don-ebusiness.navsup.navy.mil. If you are interested in setting up an appointment with a representative from the DON eBusiness Operations Office, please contact the office via email to pilot_projects@navsup.navy.mil, or phone, 717-605-9405, DSN 430-9405.

Pennsylvania Chefs aboard *Reagan*

Chef Charlie Gipe, Certified Executive Chef (CEC), and Chef Tom Robey from the American Culinary Federation Harrisburg Chapter, Harrisburg, Pa. are onboard the USS *Ronald Reagan* (CVN 76), the Navy's newest Aircraft Carrier in support of NAVSUP's Adopt-A-Ship program.

Both chefs are living onboard for a week providing training in four galleys to over sixty MS's for two thousand navy personnel each meal. Both Chefs have extensive industry experience in culinary arts and are graduates of the Culinary Institute of America.

NAVSISA Awards Top Performers

In a recent All Hands Meeting, NAVSISA proudly presented top performers with awards to recognize their outstanding achievement. Winners include: NAVSISA Executive of the Year, Howard Bink; NAVSISA Project Officer of the Year, Barbara Weibley; NAVSISA Supervisor of the Year, Gary Leitzel; NAVSISA Employee of the Year, Scott Becvar; NAVSISA Secretary of the Year, Beth Rensch; NAVSISA Outstanding Employee with Disabilities of the Year, Darlene Hampsher; and NAVSISA Outstanding Team of the Year, NAVSISA SMART ERP Team.

Fleet Assist Teams Transferred to FISCs

The Naval Supply Systems Command (NAVSUP) recently transferred the Fleet Assist Team field support function from the Navy Exchange Service Command's Ship's Store division to the Fleet and Industrial Supply Centers (FISCs) in San Diego, Calif.; Norfolk, Va.; Jacksonville, Fla.; and Yokosuka, Japan. The decision to transfer this function was the result of NAVSUP's ongoing transformation initiative.

The field detachments are now aligned functionally under NAVSUP's Assistant Chief of Staff (ACOS) for Navy Family Support, but organizationally assigned to the FISCs for management. The ACOS for Navy Family Support will still be responsible for policy and procedures. The transition will be transparent to NAVSUP's customers and there will be no change in how customers receive support.

"The new structure realigns resources along the waterfront to better support customers while increasing efficiency," said RADM Justin D. McCarthy, Commander, Naval Supply Systems Command. "By transferring this function to the FISCs, NAVSUP has created a more effective organizational structure in keeping with its strategic plan and transformation goals."

The Fleet Assist Teams provide retail operations, habitability, and ship's store programs assistance to ships located in their geographical areas. Retail operations assistance includes support with accounting procedures; the Resale Operations Management (ROM II) computer system; cash handling and Navy Cash systems; merchandise planning, pricing and procurement; records closeout; inventory management; modernization; customer service; security; and all other areas of a ship's store operation.